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We Are
Building

"Character",
Families &
Communities"
In 2010





The King Team humbly thanks Martin Mitchell for donating new basketball nets for the gym!

A true King Member!



Supervisor Coggs presents Vanessa Key with a County Citation celebrating her 20-year dedication to New Concept Self Development Center, Inc Vanessa is truly a warrior for the community! Congratulations on 20 years of success!

It's was a gorgeous day... When

Supervisor Elizabeth Coggs & King Advisory, Inc. Presented























Thank you Supervisor Coggs for keeping your dream alive and continuing your vision for the children of the Milwaukee community! Thank you to King Advisory, Inc. for your dedication and thank you to Sue Black & the Parks Department for pampering King Park. A big thanks to the hundreds of volunteers who helped all week and on that gorgeous day! Stayed tune for information on King Advisory Inc. upcoming Annual Mardi Gras Fundraiser!

Boot Camp Fat Burning Yoga & Pilates at the King!

This workout is a combination of Yoga and Pilates designed to burn fat, tone, firm and energize the body. Emphasis is on the core muscles; which will flatten the abs using basic Pilate's movements. Improve your strength, posture and feel like you have never felt before!

Contact Laverne at 414-737-5517 or laverneharmon@yahoo.com for class information.



Laverne Harmon

Research has shown that chronic stress decreases efficiency in the work place and increases the number of "sick days" that employees take.

Doctors are recommending yoga to their patients and large corporations are offering lunchtime yoga classes for their employees. So what's so great about yoga? And just what is it anyway?

Yoga is a scientific system of practices that draws on many ancient and modern traditions. Yoga combines physical stretching and toning exercises with deep breathing, relaxation and meditation techniques for lowering stress. Yoga strengthens the body, soothes the spirit, quiets the mind and restores a sense of peace and well being to our lives. And it feels great!

Healing Effects of Yoga:

Addictions Asthma Backache Bronchitis Cancer

Colds Obesity Constipation
Depression Insomnia Heart Disorders

Migraines Diabetes (not a cure)
Hypertension Stress and tension
Menstrual disorders Skin diseases

There are many other illnesses that yoga can help with as well.

Piano Lessons are now offered at the King Center!

Ms. Melanie Brooks of Unlimited Keyboards will be providing lessons on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday from 10:30am – 5:30pm for ages 6 and up. For additional information & cost, please Ms. Brooks at 414-305-8949 or email at unlimitedkeyboards@yahoo.com





Ms. Melanie Brooks

Headed to the Dr. Martin L. King Jr. Community

"I Am Somebody Too!" Summer Recreation



The Dr. Martin L. King Jr. Community Center "I Am Somebody Too!" Summer Recreation Camp has been a fulfilling experience for the children! Through the generous donation of Meghan Forseth, Biology and Sustainability Coordinator and Elisa Leal, Reservations Coordinator both of Discovery World our children were able to attend weeklong camps. Although each weeklong camp cost \$300.00 a week they made it possible for the children to attend through grant funding.

The 7 & 8-year olds participated in four camps, which were Operation Blast Off, Green Thumb, Supreme Challenge and Astronaut Training.

The 9 & 10 year olds five camps which were CSI Milwaukee, Extreme Sports, Food Chemistry, and Fish In & The of The Bowl and Science & Magic.

The 11 & 12 year old enjoyed three camps of Invention Dissection. BotsIQ, & Cardboard Furniture.

The 13 & 14 year old participated in two camps including Clothing Design & Entrepreurship, and Faking the Future

The children also enjoyed field trips to: the Milwaukee County Zoo, Children's Fest, David Schultz Aquatic Center, Mayfair Movies, Discovery World Tour and Bay Beach in Green Bay, WI





















Grand opening celebration coming soon!

With the new grass and the donated center piece the front of the center is warm and inviting! Many thanks to Sue Floreza and Tom Obukowicz. for donating and planting the new addition.







For our YOUTH!

On weekdays when school is out, students will be allowed to come to the King Center for open activities starting at 10:00am with a school I.D.

Homework Assistance & Library Time

Monday – Friday 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Youth Open Gym

Tuesday 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Come Be A Girl Scout!

Enroll your daughters in **Brownies or Girl Scouts**

For My People Productions

Spoken word & theater training Monday 5:00pm - 6:30pm

Tapping Out Rhythm

Monday 6:00pm

Youth & Teen Rec Room

Monday - Friday 4:30pm - 7:30pm

Saleem Karate-Do/

Thurs. Fri 6:00pm - 8:00pm Sat. 10:00am - 12:00pm

Youth Movie Night

Thursday 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Al Mooreland Amateur Boxing

Train with some of the best coaches in the amateur boxing circuit.

Brilliant Minds Resource Center

Monday – Friday

Youth African Dance Class

Friday 5:30 - 6:30pm Girls 2 Women Boys 2 Men

Teen Fitness Club Thursday 6:00pm

Youth Exercise Class

Wednesday 6:00pm

Ages 5-17

3:00pm - 7:00pm

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Kings Weight Room

Monday - Friday 9am - 8:00pm



Adult Open Basketball

Monday thru Friday 10am-8pm



Exercise Classes

Mon - Thurs 9am, 4:30pm, 5:30 & 6:30pm

's Weight Room Friday 9am - 8:00pm

Adult African Dance Class Thursday

6:30pm - 8:00pm

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Additional Fee (414) 263-4461



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Afro-Zumba Wednesday

6:30pm



Andre Lee Ellis & Company

Adult theater training Saturday 8:00am-12:00pm

Volunteers come share your talent at the center!

The King Center is always looking for coaches, officials, program assistants, special event volunteers and anyone with a skill, hobby or talent they would like to share with the youth! Ongoing opportunities are available at the King Center and we would love to have your input. If you would like to volunteer your talent, please call 344-5600 or speak to any of the King Team Members.

Partnerships

George Sanders Fathers Resource Center

Monday - Thursday 9:00am -5:00pm Friday by appointment only Call (414) 344-0146



New Concept Self-Development Center Social Services

To receive a variety of social service based assistance, including parenting classes, Call (414) 344-5788 ABC's for Healthy Families



Plain Talk

Plain Talk is a replication of an evidence based successful national program. It is in collaboration with the Milwaukee Health Department, New Concept Self Development Center, Inc., and the Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center. It is an initiative geared towards educating adults regarding sexual reproductive health and how to communicate this accurate information to teens.

Call (414) 344-5788

King Center Memberships

Non-Residents Yearly Fees Adult Non-Resident - \$90.00 Day Passes - **\$4.00** Replacement Cards \$5.00

Hours of Operation Monday through Friday 9:00AM until 8:30PM

Milwaukee County Residents Yearly Fees

Adult - \$35.00 Junior (13-17) - \$22.00 Child (5-12) - **\$14.00** Family of four (4) - \$70.00 Junior add on - \$11.00 Child add on - \$7.00 Day Passes - **\$2.50**



Gymnasium

\$65.00 per hour (Weekdays) \$75.00 per hour (Weekends)

Conference Room

\$35.00 (2hr minimum)

Auditorium

\$425.00 for 6 hours \$80 00 Additional Hour

Youth Rec Room \$40 00 hour

Multi Purpose Room \$35.00 (2hr minimum)

Great for Birthday Parties!

Registration & Rental Procedure

All fees must be paid at time of registration or rental. Classes, times and dates are subject to change without notice.

2010 King Team

Rita Echols, Office Administrator * Jasen Jasper, Office Assistant * Dominic Conners, Youth Coordinator* Fred Jones, Recreation Specialist * Greg McBeath, Fitness Instructor * Ta-Wau Saleem, Karate Instructor * Tommy Sundebird, Weight Training Coordinator * Alvin Boyd, Preventative Maintenance Coordinator * Lamont Johnson, Facility Manager